

The County of Centre

PROCLAMATION

NUMBER 25 OF 2020

WHEREAS, conflict resolution processes empower individuals, organizations and families to foster communication and devise solutions that are tailored to their particular needs and interests, and

WHEREAS, conflict resolution is being taught and practiced in many schools, communities and prison systems throughout the country, not only as a way of resolving individual disputes, but as a means toward a more peaceful society, and

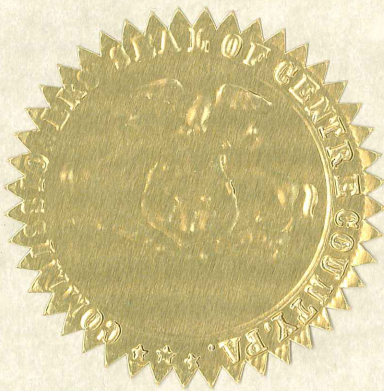
WHEREAS, community-based programs are resolving neighborhood, community and family conflicts, and

WHEREAS, collaborative responses to conflict are being used by administrative agencies, businesses, and courts to effectively and efficiently resolve disputes, and

WHEREAS, it is a mission of Centre Peace, Inc. and the Center for Alternatives in Community Justice to promote peaceful and creative resolution of disputes.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Centre county Board of Commissioners joins with the Center for Alternatives in Community Justice and Centre Peace to proclaim **Thursday, October 22, 2020** as "**Centre County Conflict Resolution Day**" in Centre County, and encourages citizens to participate in conflict resolution practices and programs

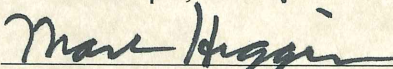
ADOPTED this 20th day of October 2020.




CENTRE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS



Michael Pipe, Chair

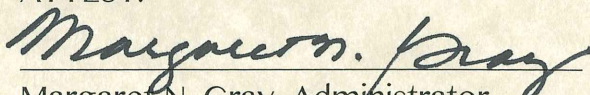


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